

CHICAGO IS IN GRASP OF BIG COAL PROFITEERS

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BALLY HAUNIS IS CAPTURED BY FREE STATE

Taking of Limerick Quickly Followed Up With Successes in Western Ireland

IRREGULARS LOSING GROUND

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DUBLIN, July 24.—The national army troops have gained a fresh victory in west Ireland, by capturing Bally Haunis, County Mayo, from the "Irishmen" irregulars. It was announced. The free state triumphs in the capture of Limerick was swiftly followed by successes in the surrounding district. A number of minor positions in the area have been added to the list of free state victories, according to an official bulletin.

MOVIE HEAD IS PAYING VISIT TO LOS ANGELES

Addresses Chamber of Commerce and Lays Stress on Clean Pictures

LOS ANGELES, July 24.—Will H. Hays, president of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, signaled his first appearance in Los Angeles today, at the home of the large motion picture colony, by speaking before a chamber of commerce and the leading movie men. He discussed organization association, and the leading movie men. He said the objects were to establish and maintain the highest possible moral and artistic standards and develop the educational, as well as entertainment value and general usefulness of the motion picture.

BURGARS MAKE HAUL HUNDRED THOUSAND

SPOKANE, July 24.—Burglars broke open 30 vaults on six floors of the Paulsen building here Saturday night and stole over \$100,000, it was learned today. It is the largest burglary ever committed here, according to the police, who believe the robbery the work of professionals.

LACK OF UNITY IN CABINET AT WARSAW

WARSAW, July 24.—Lack of unity between President Pilsudski and the diet is felt since the beginning of the present cabinet crisis seemed in view of some close observer of the situation to be threatening to resolve itself into something like civil war. From the moment on June 2 when Pilsudski caused the resignation to Ponokowski, the cabinet question as to with whom law is the supreme authority as president of parliament has been to the fore.

THE WEATHER

Local Observer, United States		
Weather Bureau:		
Temperatures	5 a.m.	Noon
Current	61	83
We. thub	46	55
Relative humidity	34	16
Temperatures, Extremes		
	1922	1921
Maximum yesterday	86	95
Minimum yesterday	57	69

TROLLEY STRIKE IS GROWING MORE SERIOUS

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 24.—One man with a broken arm and another with a fractured skull are in a hospital today after clashes with state troops regarding trolley lines of the International Railway company, whose employees have been on strike since July 2.

BROKERS PLEAD GUILTY GRAND LARCENY, N. Y.

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SENATOR REED CONFIDENT OF BEING WINNER

Says He Never Lost a Fight and That He is Unafraid of Opposition Forces

ST. LOUIS, July 24.—United States Senator James A. Reed expresses confidence that he will be renominated at the August 1 primary election, despite active opposition by former President Wilson, a large number of women voters, and the dry element, and in spite of the fact that he was read out of the party by the 1920 democratic state convention, because of his opposition to the league of nations.

"I have never lost a fight and I am confident I shall not lose this one," he states, in campaign speeches. Breckenridge Long, his opponent, third assistant secretary of state, in the Wilson administration, likewise, is every bit as confident of victory, and says the democrats of Missouri will reassert their confidence in the leadership of Woodrow Wilson and his policies.—Long's platform.

Reed has been denying vigorously, before his campaign audiences, charges of party irregularity made against him. "I never strayed from the path, but have been the real democrat all along," he emphasizes. "A rubber stamp senator is not a representative of the people."

Only infrequently has Reed referred to the letters Mr. Wilson sent to Missouri, urging his defeat, one of which denounced the senator as a "marplot." The senator has dismissed this phase of opposition with the assertion "I have never fought the president," and advising his audience not to allow "outsiders" to tell them how to vote.

Large groups of women voters have been waging a crusade against the senator for his opposition to suffrage and the maternity bill; while certain other groups of women have rallied to his support. The dries are fighting him vigorously. The Long forces have been emphatic in denying Reed's assertion that he did not fight Wilson. Contradicting Reed's protestations of party regularity the Long forces declare he went into Wisconsin in 1920 and campaigned for James Thompson for the United States senate, described as a La Follette independent. Reed answers this by saying his activities in Wisconsin were inspired by a desire to defeat Sena-

SCOTLAND WILL SHIP COAL TO THIS COUNTRY

Important Contracts Placed on Certain Conditions Pending Life of Strike

PUMP MEN IN OHIO QUIT POSTS

Refuse to Work When Militia is Called Into Mines of the Bellaire District

LONDON, July 24.—Important contracts have been placed in Scotland for immediate shipments of coal to the United States on conditional orders, are under negotiations. It was learned. Scotland also has been asked to ship large quantities of coal to South American ports, previously supplied by the United States.

BELLAIRE, O., July 24.—Pumpmen on duty in the idle coal mines of this region are reported leaving their posts as a protest against bringing state troops into the district.

AMERICAN-MEXICAN TWINE MONOPOLY TO BE PROBED

WASHINGTON, July 24.—The Sherman anti-trust law prosecution of the alleged American-Mexican twine monopoly of also used in making binding twine, asked of Attorney General Daugherty in a formal complaint filed by Senator Capper, of Kansas, chairman of the senate agricultural bloc.

PEST OF SNAILS IS TO BE SLAUGHTERED

SACRAMENTO, July 24.—A. J. Baughner, of the bureau of pest control of the state department of agriculture, has begun the task of ridding La Jolla, San Diego county, of a pest of snails, reported to be covering an area of 11 to 15 blocks in La Jolla and also infesting the Scripps Institute, about a mile away. The snails, said to have been introduced by some Southern European residents of San Diego county, who relish them as food delicacies, are reported to be invading porches, lawns and shrubbery in great numbers, and even making their way into dwellings.

INTERNATIONAL OF RED RUSSIA IS INDIGNANT

Recommends Proletariat of the World Take Offensive in View of White Terror

MOSCOW, July 24.—The executive committee of the third international has sent an appeal to the proletariat of the world recommending its taking the offensive. Its view of the "white terror" and attacks on workmen abroad, the appeal says it is time defensive tactics ceased.

Tor Lenrot, whom he terms as a "standpat" republican, after it was certain Paul S. Reinsch, the democratic nominee, could not be elected.

Both Long and Reed have been conducting energetic campaigns, and both have been drawing large crowds. Robert I. Young of St. Joseph, also is a candidate, but he is not conducting an active campaign.

Six candidates are seeking the republican senatorial nomination, and congressional candidates will be nominated in each of the 16 districts in the state. In addition the voters will nominate candidates for judges of the state courts, state senators and representatives, state superintendent of schools, and county and local officers.

TARRYTOWN IN FLUTTER AS J. D. PAYS VISIT

No Objection Made Against Reporters and Camera Men as Visits Vast Estate

TARRYTOWN, N. J., July 24.—John D. Rockefeller, passing the Indian summer of his life on his vast estate in the Pocantico hills, at last letting down the barriers he has always raised against photographers and reporters.

This is a question which has been interesting the newspaper profession ever since the world's richest man, on a recent Sunday, permitted camera men to snap him to their hearts' content, after they had consented to follow him into church for services.

Mr. Rockefeller, who bears the reputation of being one of the most camera-shy men in America, may be becoming more lenient in his attitude toward photographers, but as yet he has given no indication of taking reporters into his confidence. An effort to interview Mr. Rockefeller on the recent occasion of his 84th birthday anniversary—made as usual, through a third party—resulting in the household—brought the response, "Impossible." As Mr. Rockefeller as yet have succeeded in storming the well-guarded gates of the Rockefeller home, the modern Croesus goes uninterfered.

Even to his fellow townsmen, the little man, slight of frame who appears in mid-morning in his usual coat, overcoat and muffler to see much an enigma.

Tarrytown points out to each visitor the home of John D. Rockefeller, where the visitor to go up and see where Rockefeller lives, talks and stands about Rockefeller—but rarely sees himself.

Very seldom do Tarrytowners see the gates which guard the home back in the hills. Once in awhile they see John D. come down town and sit in his machine while a chauffeur goes into a bank or a store—but Tarrytown almost never talks to its richest citizen. He comes and goes—there is excitement while he is downtown and discussion afterwards. And that is all of Tarrytown's claim on its most famous citizen.

Ever since the oil king celebrated his 84th birthday, Tarrytown has been seething over the question of who is its oldest citizen. There is no question as to the most famous. An ancient who sits in front of the big hardware store, just around the corner from the station, concedes first place to John D. The ancient admits he is only 83.

But an Italian has asserted his grandfather is 88—and there is a farmer who lays claim to 90. Still, even in the face of odds, Tarrytown stands loyally behind 1 (supposed) citizen, and announced to the world that its oldest citizen today is none other than the man who made oil famous.

But the town maintains that Mr. Rockefeller is still a youngster in spirits.

"Any man who plays golf as frequently as he does," began one citizen, when he was interrupted with a question as to whether John D.'s private links were regular size.

"Certainly it is, but John D. goes around it slowly," replied the citizen, but another Tarrytowner broke in with a denial.

"It is not. It is only about four holes of a normal course. And John D. takes three hours to make two of 'em."

Last, but not least, in Tarrytown's viewpoint towards its leading citizen, is the tradition of the dime, the day of days for the boys and girls. Spontaneously, John D. Rockefeller gives 10-cent pieces away to children. How did it start?

UNDERWOOD IS DEFENDING THE BIG DYE TRUST

Arises in Senate to Charge That Certain Interests Trying to Injure Garvin

A MITCHELL PALMER LAUDED

Thinks Former Alien Custodian Was Sole of Propriety in Handling Properties

WASHINGTON, July 24.—The Chemical Foundation and President Frank G. Garvin, former alien property custodian, who are being prosecuted by the government for return of German alien property, were defended in the senate today by Senator Underwood, who said that Mitchell Palmer and the government for action taken against Garvin, there was found and evidence of connection in the return of German property by the Chemical Foundation. Senator Underwood also commended the record of A. Mitchell Palmer, former alien property custodian and former alien property custodian in dealing with enemy alien property. German alien property custodian said were supporting the "chemical foundation" course against the "chemical foundation" in the hope of a full recovery of alien property and also damage claims for it.

FATHERS AND SONS HAVE GOLF CONTEST

DEL. MONTE, July 24.—A "father and son" tournament on Sunday at Del. Monte is a new feature of the Del. Monte August golf tournament, which will be held here. The championship proper will not start until September 1. A match play at Del. Monte will be played on Sunday, August 27, and a team match between Del. Monte and the Del. Monte club will be played on September 3.

FRUIT GROWERS COLORADO WANT RAILROAD CARS

Inform Senators and Congressmen That Financial Ruin Threatens Result of Strike

DELTA, Colo., July 24.—Financial ruin faces the fruit growers of the western slope of the state of Colorado unless railroad cars can be secured immediately to move the perishable crop. It was stated in a resolution sent to Colorado senators and congressmen at Washington, following a meeting here of shippers, growers and business men of Montrose and Delta counties.

Number two—A boy was standing downtown when the Rockefeller machine drove up. A package dropped out. A boy picked it up and handed it to Mr. Rockefeller personally. The boy got a dime and John D. Rockefeller got an inspiration which he has followed ever since.

Number three—A lad was lost. He wandered into the Rockefeller mystery links. The oil king saw him. He took him into the house, gave him a dime and sent him home. And the 10-cent party sprang from that. Whatever the cause, "Dime Day" has become to the youth of Tarrytown, a day apart, ranking with Christmas and the Fourth of July.

INDICTMENTS QUASHED IN THEATER DISASTER

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Indictments against five persons in connection with the Knickerbocker Theater catastrophe of last January, in which 37 lives were lost, were quashed today by Justice Squires, of the District of Columbia supreme court, who sustained the demurrers.

UNCLE SAMUEL PREPARES MEET AN EMERGENCY

Louis Region, Including Jefferson Barracks, Transferred to Chicago Division

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Louis region, including Jefferson Barracks, the largest regular army post in this country, has been transferred from the seventh corps area to the sixth corps area, and will operate under the direct of Major General Bell in Chicago. It is generally understood to be in connection with the possible use of federal troops in case of disturbances arising from the strike.

MYSTERY LURKS IN DEATH MRS. M. ARMSTRONG

Entertainer at Cottage Cabaret Found Cold in Death Sunday Afternoon at 5 O'Clock

Mystery surrounds the death of Mrs. Maudie Armstrong, an entertainer at the Cottage Cabaret, whose body was found Sunday afternoon in a room back of the cabaret. The matter was reported to the police by Henry Kyrle, one of the proprietors, and the body was removed to the morgue shortly after the arrival of Dr. Shirley, Coroner Gaddy and Officer Chester Carroll.

An examination of the body disclosed numerous bruises and the eyes and lips being black and blue from a beating that had evidently been administered.

The unfortunate woman was said to have had friends, who were with her last Monday night by some one whom she did not remember. It is not believed, however, that these would be the cause of her death, as she had been up and around during the first part of the week at tending to her duties as an entertainer.

Indications led the officers and Dr. Gaffey to believe that Mrs. Armstrong's death was a plain case of suicide, but this will not be determined until an inquest, which started this afternoon at 3 o'clock, has been concluded. It is stated that the woman was an addict to narcotics and it is possible that she may have taken an overdose of the drug accidentally.

Mrs. Armstrong had been a resident of Tonopah the greater part of the time for the last four years. Her home was formerly in Sacramento, where she has a father, who is well known in theatrical circles. The father's name is William Armstrong, and with him live two children of the deceased, a boy and a girl, the eldest of whom is 12 years of age. It is said that the woman had been married to a wealthy resident of Pasadena, but that following the separation she took her maiden name. The name of the former husband has not yet been learned.

GREAT BRITAIN ASKED CATCH BOOZE RUNNERS

LONDON, July 24.—The British government has received a note from the Washington government, asking cooperation in the suppression of liquor running into the United States through Bermuda and the Bahamas.

WINDY TOWN PRICES JUMP ALARMINGLY

Fuel Selling as High as \$13 a Ton an Advance of Eight Dollars a Ton

OPERATORS READY TO CONFER

Secretary Hoover Informed They Agree in Principle with Administration Plan

CHICAGO, July 24.—The price of coal in Chicago has jumped from \$2.25 per ton to \$11.65 and \$12 since the mines went on strike. While in small quantities the coal has increased \$2.25 and \$3 a ton to \$11.25 and \$12, according to figures given out by a large industrial concern, which ranks among the largest a coal in the middle west.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Operators from producing districts in the north are in conference today with Secretary Hoover, agreed in principle with the administration plan, pending satisfactory peace and justice for distribution during the strike.

DETROIT, July 24.—The appointment of a third commissioner for Detroit is expected to be made at a meeting here tomorrow of the first committee of the Detroit board of commerce and Detroit coal exchange. The committee is expected to place all such strikes under the supervision of the Detroit board of commerce.

MINOT, N. Dak., July 24.—As a measure to conserve fuel and railroad stock, daily train service on the Great Northern branch line in North Dakota will be suspended on an every other day basis, according to an announcement by the superintendent of the Minot division. It is understood the order is general on other divisions.

OREGON GRAND JURY STARTS INVESTIGATION

MEAD, Oreg., July 24.—A special session of the grand jury called to investigate the murder of John Taylor, a miner in Jackson county, was held today, and other alleged activities of the Ku Klux Klan in this district were discussed at Jacksonville today and adjourned at noon to meet here Tuesday. Deputy District Attorney Turner, of Los Angeles, was called as the first witness, his testimony being in regard to documentary evidence, related in a Los Angeles raid and giving to the both local and state authorities. The grand jury is composed of six men and a woman.

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